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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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**Applicant: ERIC BAER**  
**Title: ECONOMICAL OXYGEN BARRIER  
STRUCTURES UTILIZING EVOH/POLYOLEFIN  
BLENDS**  
**Docket Number: BLB-025027-US**  
**Examiner: MELANIE D. BISSETT**  
**Art Unit: 1711**

**RESPONSE TO THE EXAMINER'S COMMUNICATION  
MAILED AUGUST 28, 2005**

**Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**

**Sir:**

**Applicant has received and noted the Examiner's communication  
mailed August 28, 2005 in connection with the above identified pending  
patent application and makes response as follows:**

**Amendments to the Claims begin at Page 2 of this Paper.**

**Remarks begin at Page 6 of this Paper.**

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